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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2002 in the aboveidentified patent application, a response which is due February 28, 2003, Applicants enter the following amendments and response.

In the Claims

Please cancel Claims 6 and 12.

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